have at this time, Madam President.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. If I could have the senators' attention, please, I would like to introduce to you a special guest of Governor Nelson in the Legislature today, the Honorable Mr. Masao Wada, the Counsul General of Japan, who has joined us from Kansas City, Missouri. He is seated under the south balcony. Mr. Wada, please be recognized by our Nebraska Welcome to the Legislature and to Nebraska. We hope Senators. this is one of many trips to our state. Also Mr. Wada is escorted by Mrs. Sheila Griffin of Lincoln, Special Advisor to Governor Nelson on International Trade and the new Chairman of the Omaha Branch of the Kansas City Federal Reserve Branch. Mrs. Griffin. And also with Mr. Wada is Mr. Steve Buttress, Director of the Department of Economic Development for Governor Nelson, and Mr. Larry Sitzman, Director of the Department of Agriculture. Welcome. And special quests today of Senators Dan Lynch and Jerry Chizek are Gregg and Pat Enenbach, and if they would please rise and be recognized. Welcome Legislature. Thank you very much. We will proceed with Legislative Resolution, IR 209.

CLERK: Madam President, LR 209 found on page 149 of the Legislative Journal, introduced by Senator Crosby, asks the Legislature to acknowledge the dedicated efforts of the students of Union College in helping to shape the future of the world, and that a copy of the resolution be presented to the President of Union College, Mr. John Kerbs.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Madam Chair and colleagues. It is a real privilege to introduce this resolution to the Legislature in behalf of Union College which sits in College View about 48th and Prescott in Lincoln in my district; Union College, as you will see from the story that I passed around to you that ran in the Journal on January 7th, a liberal arts college with a message and with a real goal and mission, and they celebrate their centennial year. Lieutenant Governor Maxine Moul and I were privileged to be in their parade, remember, and it was a great day and we had a lot of fun, but they are wonderful people. College View was its own little town originally, Lincoln annexed it someplace along the line. Sheridan Boulevard, as you go out Sheridan Boulevard and see the beautiful median that is there these days with all the trees,